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WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT : AUSTRALIA, JULY, 1964  
PRELIMINARY ESTIMATES

This preliminary statement of Wage and Salary Earners in Civilian Employment for the month of July, 1964 will be followed by the monthly bulletin "Employment and Unemployment", which gives information in greater detail.

The estimates contained herein are based on comprehensive data derived for the purpose from the Population Census of June, 1961. They are obtained from three main sources, namely, (a) current Pay-roll Tax returns; (b) current returns from Government bodies; and (c) some other direct current records of employment. These data have been supplemented by estimates of the changes in number of wage and salary earners not covered by the foregoing collections. The figures are subject to revision.

For reasons of space, minor revisions which are sometimes necessary in respect of earlier months cannot be shown herein. Any such revisions will be incorporated in the next issue of the monthly bulletin "Employment and Unemployment".

TABLE 1. - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT : STATES AND TERRITORIES  
(Excluding Employees in Rural Industry and Private Domestic Service, and Defence Forces)  
(Thousands)

State or Territory	1963		1964	
	June	July	June r	July
MALES				
New South Wales	914.5	914.7	950.1	951.2
Victoria	675.3	674.2	703.5	703.2
Queensland	304.7	306.3	317.8	319.5
South Australia	219.1	220.8	228.9	229.3
Western Australia	160.0	159.7	164.1	164.0
Tasmania	75.0	75.0	77.4	76.9
Northern Territory	7.8	8.0	8.9	8.9
Australian Capital Territory	20.4	20.3	21.6	21.9
AUSTRALIA:	2,376.8	2,379.0	2,472.3	2,474.9
FEMALES				
New South Wales	369.7	371.2	389.8	391.6
Victoria	284.7	284.7	299.1	299.6
Queensland	108.8	109.3	115.2	115.9
South Australia	80.8	81.2	86.4	86.7
Western Australia	55.5	55.7	58.3	58.3
Tasmania	25.5	25.4	27.0	26.9
Northern Territory	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.1
Australian Capital Territory	8.7	8.7	10.0	10.1
AUSTRALIA:	936.6	939.1	988.8	992.2
PERSONS				
New South Wales	1,284.2	1,285.9	1,339.9	1,342.8
Victoria	960.0	958.9	1,002.6	1,002.8
Queensland	413.5	415.6	433.0	435.4
South Australia	299.9	302.0	315.3	316.0
Western Australia	215.5	215.4	222.4	222.3
Tasmania	100.5	100.4	104.4	103.8
Northern Territory	10.7	10.9	11.9	12.0
Australian Capital Territory	29.1	29.0	31.6	32.0
AUSTRALIA:	3,313.4	3,318.1	3,461.1	3,467.1

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TABLE 2. - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT - INDUSTRY GROUPS : AUSTRALIA  
(Excluding Employees in Rural Industry and Private Domestic Service, and Defence Forces)

(Thousands)

Industry Group, etc.	1963		1964	
	June	July	June r	July
MALES				
Manufacturing	879.5	881.8	922.1	925.7
Electricity, Gas, Water & Sanitary Services	91.5	91.4	93.4	93.6
Building and Construction	281.5	280.8	288.8	288.1
Transport, Storage and Communication	264.0	264.2	270.2	270.5
Finance and Property	86.2	86.1	92.1	92.1
Commerce	368.5	368.9	385.0	383.6
Public Authority Activities (n.e.i.)	101.7	101.7	105.7	105.9
Community and Business Services	170.0	169.8	177.5	177.5
Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service, etc.	74.6	74.3	78.3	78.5
Other Industries (a)	59.3	60.0	59.2	59.4
TOTAL:	2,376.8	2,379.0	2,472.3	2,474.9
Private Employment	1,681.3	1,684.1	1,764.6	1,767.1
Government Employment (b)	695.5	694.9	707.7	707.8
FEMALES				
Manufacturing	258.9	260.0	277.6	279.2
Electricity, Gas, Water & Sanitary Services	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.5
Building and Construction	5.5	5.5	5.8	6.0
Transport, Storage and Communication	35.4	35.5	37.2	37.6
Finance and Property	56.6	56.7	60.0	60.0
Commerce	212.7	213.2	221.8	221.0
Public Authority Activities (n.e.i.)	37.2	37.8	39.1	39.9
Community and Business Services	240.3	240.6	252.9	253.6
Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service, etc.	81.8	81.6	85.9	86.5
Other Industries (a)	1.8	1.8	2.0	1.9
TOTAL:	936.6	939.1	988.8	992.2
Private Employment	769.2	770.5	812.4	814.4
Government Employment (b)	167.4	168.6	176.4	177.8
PERSONS				
Manufacturing	1,138.4	1,141.8	1,199.7	1,204.9
Electricity, Gas, Water & Sanitary Services	97.9	97.8	99.9	100.1
Building and Construction	287.0	286.3	294.6	294.1
Transport, Storage and Communication	299.4	299.7	307.4	308.1
Finance and Property	142.8	142.8	152.1	152.1
Commerce	581.2	582.1	606.8	604.6
Public Authority Activities (n.e.i.)	138.9	139.5	144.8	145.8
Community and Business Services	410.3	410.4	430.4	431.1
Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service, etc.	156.4	155.9	164.2	165.0
Other Industries (a)	61.1	61.8	61.2	61.3
TOTAL:	3,313.4	3,318.1	3,461.1	3,467.1
Private Employment	2,450.5	2,454.6	2,577.0	2,581.5
Government Employment (b)	862.9	863.5	884.1	885.6

(a) Includes Forestry, Fishing and Trapping; and Mining and Quarrying. (b) Includes employees within Australia, of government bodies (Commonwealth, State, Local and semi-government) on services such as railways, tramways, banks, post office, air transport, education (including universities), broadcasting, television, police, public works, factories and munitions establishments, departmental hospitals and institutions, migrant hostels, etc., as well as administrative employees. r - Revised.

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